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★ No. 42f Comp. sheet 212.50	★ No. 278 STR. of 3 Pl. No. 105.00	★ No. 459 Pair 115.00
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★ No. 54 Red Canc. 150.00	★ No. 295a Inv. center 2,700.00	★ No. 525d Bl. of 4 60.00
★ No. 56 Bl. of 4 125.00	★ No. 296a Inv. center 1,200.00	★ No. 537a Pl. Bl. of 4 125.00
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★ No. 118 60.00	★ No. 315 4 Arrow Bl. 500.00	★ No. 539a Bl. of 6 900.00
★ No. 122a 200.00	★ No. 317 Pair 120.00	★ No. 595 Bl. of 4 80.00
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152 CANADA, including Nos. 4 (2) 19, 20, 23, 25, 25a, 26, 31, 56, 57, 60, 95, etc. Cat. value about \$100.00	11.00	39 LEEWARD IS., including 1 to 7, 17, 18, 19, 20 to 26, 29 to 35 (rare set), 49 to 53, etc. All MINT. Cat. value \$35.00	8.00
68 CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, including 1 (pair), 2, 3, 4 (pair), 5, 12, 14, 15, 19a, 27, 30, 40, 44a, 56, 71, etc., etc. Cat. value \$172.00	26.00	95 MALTA, including 1a, 3a, 3b, 7, 26, 27, 47, 46, 54, 58, 59, 62, 81, 105, 106, 107, 108, 142, 143, 144, 145. A beautiful lot. Mostly MINT. Cat. value \$94.00	12.50
476 CUBA, 1st Portion. Issues from 1855 to 1881. A really fine Collection containing many rare stamps. Cat. value \$140.00	14.00	14 MALTA, Nos. 116 to 129. Complete set MINT. Cat. value \$30.00	7.50
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48 DENMARK, including Nos. 1, 5a, 6, 8, 24, etc., etc. Cat. value \$55.00	6.50	91 PHILIPPINE IS., 1st Portion. A valuable Collection including Nos. 1a, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 10 (block of 4), 14, 15, 18, 21, 23, 24, 39, 41, 42, 30a, 27, 28, 45, 46, 47, 53, 54, 65, 66, 68, 69, 72, 27, etc. Valuable Collection. Cat. value \$340.00	34.00
186 EGYPT, including good 1875 issues also 58, 59, 67, 68 Mint, Also Mint blocks of 4 of 67 & 68, etc., etc. Cat. value \$70.00	10.00	236 PHILIPPINE IS., Second Portion. Issues from 1880 to 1889. Many scarce stamps including 119, 122, 123, 132, 134, 94, 96, 97, 102 and other good stamps. Cat. value \$221.00	22.00
58 FERNANDO POO & SPANISH NEW GUINEA. Cat. value \$21.00	2.50	118 PHILIPPINE IS., Third Portion. Issues from 1899 to 1914, including 218, 219, 220, 221, 223 (mint), 228 & 229 Mint, 231 232, 233, 234, 235, 236 (Mint and Used), 237 (Mint, rare), 252, 253, used, 253 & 254 (both Mint) latter rare, 451, Postage Dues 550 to 556. A choice lot containing many scarce postmarks and obviously offered much below its actual value. Cat. value \$150.00	28.00
104 FRANCE, including 7, 7a, 9b, 21, etc., etc. Cat. value \$80.00	9.00	168 PORTO RICO, Issues from 1873 to 1892. A very useful collection. Cat. value \$52.00	5.00
79 GAMBIA, including Nos. 5, 6, 8, 17, 18b, 19, 23, 24, 25, 31, 32, 34, 45, 74 to 82, 91 to 102, 104, 105 & 106, 91, 92 and good later issues. Mostly MINT. Cat. value about \$67.00	14.00	113 PORTUGAL, including 3a, 7, 8, 13a, 15, 16, 21a, 27, 29, 30, etc., etc., and 30 SPAIN. Cat. value \$120.00	10.00
249 GERMANY, including good early issues. Cat. value \$40.00	4.00	45 VIRGIN IS., including 1, 4, 4a, 5, 7, 14, 15, 19, 26, 36, 59, 62, 68. Cat. value \$102.00	14.00
77 GT. BRITAIN (Offices in Morocco) including Nos. 6, 7, 8, 16, 18, 24, 25, 60, 61, 62, 64, 66, 68, 83a, 83b, 82, 82a. Mostly MINT. Cat. value \$90.00	12.00		
99 GREECE, including 1, 2, 15, 15b, 16, 22, 24, 32b, 35, 38, 43, 49, etc., etc. Cat. value \$99.00	9.50		
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"Entered as second-class matter March 13, 1929, at the post office at Columbus, Ohio, under the Act of March 3, 1879."

The New Stamp For Georgia

OFFICIAL announcement of the new Commemorative Postage Stamp in honor of the founding of the colony of Georgia by General Oglethorpe in 1733 was made in the Postal Bulletin of January 25.

That the record may be kept by collectors who wish to preserve the same, a reprint from the Postal Bulletin is offered herewith.

sale February 13, 1933, at the post office in Savannah, Ga. The stamp will be on sale at other post offices as soon as production will permit. For the benefit of stamp collectors, the General Oglethorpe stamp will be available for sale at the Philatelic Agency, Post Office Department, Washington, D. C., on February 14, 1933. The agency will not, however, prepare covers.

Postmasters at direct and central accounting post offices may submit requisitions to the department on Form 3201-A, endorsed "Oglethorpe," for a limited supply of the new commemorative stamp. Owing to the small quantity to be printed, it will be necessary for shipments to individual post offices to be reduced to a minimum. Postmasters are further advised that, because of the limited time

General Oglethorpe Commemorative Stamp

Third Assistant Postmaster General,

Washington,
January 24, 1933.

Postmasters and employees of the Postal Service are notified that the department is preparing to issue a special postage stamp in the 3-cent denomination to commemorate the two hundredth anniversary of the settlement of Georgia, and in honor of General Oglethorpe, the founder of the colony.

The stamp is of the same size as the regular issue, 75/100 inch by 87/100 inch in dimensions, without border, and is printed in purple ink. In a horizontal line across the top of the stamp in solid Roman letters are the words "United States Postage." The central subject of the stamp is the likeness of General Oglethorpe, wearing a coat of armor. In each lower corner, within an upright rectangular panel with tinted face and narrow white line border is the large numeral "3" in white Roman. In a narrow panel at the bottom of the stamp is the word "Cents" in white Roman. On a white ribbon directly above the base panel is the name "General Oglethorpe" in dark Gothic letters. On either side of the head, arranged perpendicularly, are the dates "1733" at the left and "1933" at the right.

The General Oglethorpe commemorative stamp will be first placed on

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St. Louis Club to Hold Stamp Exhibition

All details of arrangements having been completed, everything is in readiness for the opening of the Midwest Stamp Exhibition to be held in the Mart Building in St. Louis, Mo., from February 18th to February 25th, 1933, both dates inclusive.

This Exhibit, sponsored by the St. Louis Stamp Collectors Society and Collectors Club of St. Louis, will be staged on a rather imposing and extensive scale and of considerable and greater importance than anything of this nature ever before attempted by the members of these Clubs. Owing to the unusual and growing popularity of Philately in this city, it is felt that this event will meet with a tremendous response from the public. The Exhibit will open February 18th at 10 a. m. and remain open daily from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. and closing Saturday, February 25th at 6 p. m. These dates make possible an eight day exhibition and including Washington's Birthday will afford ample time and opportunity for the public to visit the view and display to its heart's content.

In connection with the regular Exhibit, a certain amount of space has been set aside and reserved for the sole benefit of school children or members of School Stamp Clubs of the city and county who may desire to display certain parts of their collections in this section. All displays entered by Juniors will be judged by

a committee and prizes awarded on the respective and relative merits of such Exhibits.

Another feature attempted by the Committee in charge calls for registration of all visitors, who after viewing the displays, will be asked to indicate on a card their own individual choice of a display, which in their opinion, is more desirable in relation to the others. This information, when compiled, will prove interesting as it will present an opportunity to determine the public's and non-collector's sense of popularity of the various countries and stamps.

The committee in charge of the Exhibition is headed by Dr. Hugh McCulloch who in turn is ably assisted by C. C. Wagner, H. O. Nouss, Dr. Lister Tuholske and W. H. Rauert. Any collector desiring to contribute to the success of this event by displaying any part of his collection will kindly communicate with Mr. H. O. Nouss, 1301 Bell Tel. Co. Bldg., St. Louis, Mo. After the closing of the Exhibition at 6 p. m. on Saturday, February 25th, the Annual Banquet will be held in the Mart Bldg. This event to which the public is not invited will be reserved entirely for members of stamp clubs, their families and such guests as they may have.

A Costa Rican Dealer

Collectors who are not acquainted with Alex A. Cohen of San Jose, Costa Rica, will find his advertisement in this issue and will be interested to know that Mr. Cohen has spent a great bit of time in the stamp business in this country in the past years. He is recognized as headquarters for many of the Central American issues and can be recommended as thoroughly reliable.

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226 inverted surcharge	2.50
228 inverted surcharge	1.50
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237a aeroplane inverted	1.25
237b	2.00
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10c each—No. 33, 136, 145, 157, 159, 178, 205, 216, 236-7, 252-3, 258, 265, 268, 271, 282, 282c, 302, 337, 381, 415, 430, 436, 438, 462, 468-9, 470, 474, 482-3, 496, 518, 538, 576, 589, 590, 612, 620, 628, 631, 650, 652, 661-2-3-4, 668, 672, 674, 1308, 1452, 1458, 1465.	30c each—No. 63, 148, 186-7, 235, 257, 290, 310, 368, 550, 572, 616, 678, 1300, 1893, 2296.
15c each—No. 161, 232, 251, 256, 266, 284, 308, 323, 344, 407, 420, 432, 434, 439, 475, 497, 532, 543, 577, 613, 665-6, 677, 1303, 1307, 1891-2, 1903.	35c each—No. 113, 189, 341, 371, 373, 382, 547, 1301.
20c each—No. 188, 211, 224, 296, 399, 400a, 473, 476, 513, 535, 667, 675, 679, 1456-7, 1463.	40c each—No. 42f, 68, 93, 135, 227-8, 275, 287, 299, 314, 320, 345-6, 422, 464, 1890, 1896, 2298.

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(R. Roberts)

SWITZERLAND—In our notes of December 24th we stated that the surtax on the 10c. and 20c. were both 5c. each. We now learn that this was an error. The correct surtax being 10c. on the 10c. and 20c. on the 20c.

(Scott's Monthly Journal)



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Broadway Chatter

By Bi Stander

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Information regarding new issues and notes of interest on all Precancels, other than Bureau Prints, should be sent direct to the Editor of this column.

K. M. GIERHART, BALTIMORE, OHIO

The announcement of the Coolidge memorial stamp brings to mind that the same sort of stamp was issued almost ten years ago for Warren G. Harding. The widespread precanceling of this stamp is often referred to as an orgy, which no doubt is a good description of the situation, for fakes, favor seeking, speculation and exorbitant prices was prevalent everywhere. After ten years many of these stamps can be bought for less than half of what they sold for in 1923. A collection built then at current prices has depreciated considerably and was in no means a good investment. The price on Black Hardings has hit the bottom now, the really good ones will go up and the junk will still be junk. I imagine that the release of the Coolidge stamp will have a good effect on the market for Black Hardings, that it will revive interest in them again.

I point out the above happenings about the Black Harding for my readers who did not collect precancels at that time, and were not aware of conditions. And I wish to advise you NOT to pay high prices for any of the Coolidge stamps unless you are reasonably sure they are worth it. For I have no doubt that there will

be those who will start shenanigans as soon as the stamps are released. There is not so much to fear now because the catalog makers have adopted a policy that puts a blight on favor and unnecessary issues, and the fellow that asks a high price for his stamps has only his individual reason for such prices and will not have the backing of the catalog. You can rest assured that Hoover Bros. will be very careful about the listing and pricing of the new stamp as they well remember the Black Harding.

The issuance of bureau prints in the higher values offers a peculiar situation. In general precancels, the horizontal stamps with the precancel reading up is regarded as a normal stamp and is mounted in the set with lower value normals, likewise those reading down are considered and mounted as an invert. All bureau prints as you know are printed normal only yet all the higher horizontal values read down. Now then will the general precancel collector have to revise his ideas on what is normal and what is inverted, and remount his stamps, or will a general precancel reading down be an invert and a bureau print reading down be a normal? Maybe the general collector has been wrong all along and didn't know it?

A correction in my story of the Minn. 5c red error precancels. Mr. Allen never purchased same. My apologies to Mr. Allen. Now about some precancels I ran across from Madison, Wis., in a bright red-purple ink. They look like one subject affairs, run the long way of the stamps, Madison, Wis. is in one line, no bars or lines above or below. Have this on the 10c and 20c value. Who has other values and knows anything about these stamps?

Short Notes—5c Olympic from Sioux City, Ia., inverted; Red Bank, N. J., in a hand electro; Union City, Ind., hand electro; Huntington, W. Va., 3c Stuarts from Pueblo, Colo., Peoria, Ill., and Roanoke, Va., in their usual large types. Granville, O. has new hand electro, have it on the 2c due. 3c Webster from Amarillo, Texas.

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- (3) 1904, the same. Lithograph. 100p. Made special for the Danish Royal family.
- (4) 1905, multicolor. Children at the Spring of Health. Artist, A. Jacobsen and P. Schultz.
- (5) 1906, green and black. King Christian IX. Artist, A. Jacobsen.
- (6) 1907, light blue and black. No date of year on seal. King Fredrik VIII and Queen Louise. Artist A. Jacobsen. Inscription "Glaedelig Jul; Godt Nytaar."
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- (11) 1912, rose and gold. King Chr X and Queen Alexandrine. Artist Professor Rosen. Designed by Wilh. Andersen.
- (12) 1913, red-brown and black. Santa Claus motive. Artist, Joachim Skovgaard.
- (13) 1914, red and bronze, Little girl feeding pigeons. Artist, Valdemar Andersen. (There exists another seal, same motive, the prized one.)
- (14) 1915, green. Photo of girl, chosen by Einar Holbell personally. (Two shades.)
- (15) 1916, red, blue and bronze. Mother lifting child to light. Artist, Sigurd Olrik.
- (16) 1917, bronze and red. No date on seal. Three angels ringing Christmas Chimes. Inscription "Fred Paa Jord" Peace on Earth. Artist, Anna Munk.
- (17) 1918, yellow and more colors. Angels sound trumpets. Artist, Corona.
- (18) 1919, multicolor. Danish flag "Dannebrog" being run up. Artist, Munk.
- (19) 1920, dark blue and other colors. Handing over the Gold-Horns. Artist, Munk.
- (20) 1921, multicolor. Eskimo girl. Artist, Harald Moltke.
- (21) 1922, blue and red. Five-masted ship, "Kjebenhavn." Artist, Chr. Melsted.
- (22) 1923, multicolor. Whaleboat from Faroe Islands. Artist, Mogens Ege. (1 error in each 200 seals.)
- (23) 1924, multicolor. Danish letter-carriers. Artist, Rasmus Christiansen. Mail service 300 year jubilee.
- (24) 1925, multicolor. Winter scene. Artist, Erik Struchmann.
- (25) 1926, multicolor. Nude child riding Dolphin. Artist, Valdemar Andersen.
- (26) 1927, yellow, red, green and black. Einar Holbell. In memory of the father of the Christmas Seal idea, born 1865, died 1927. Artist, Kongstat.
- (27) 1928, multicolor. Helping little brother put letter in box. Artist, Hornung Jensen.
- (28) 1929, blue and red with bronze margin. Winter-dressed girl with Xmas tree. Artist, Sven Henriksen.
- (29) 1930, brown and blue with bronze margin. The little girl with the matches. From fairy-tale by the Danish poet, Hans Andersen. Artist, Arne Ungermann.
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STAMPS Stamp collectors can well feel proud of their hobby and the admirable way in which it has weathered the storm of the past few years. It is clearly evident to anyone who is able to observe that the interest in stamp collecting is greater today than ever before. It should be as clearly evident to anyone who takes time to consider this thought that there is need for a vast amount of material to supply the needs of this army of new collectors. 'Tis true that the bulk of the demand is for the commoner and cheaper class of stamps, the picture material, the attractive sets, those stamps which tell a story on their face. Dealers who have catered to this line of trade are doing a very satisfactory business and such falling off of trade as has been noted has been principally in the higher priced material. Not the extreme rarities, for they seem to be holding their own but in the line of stamps from a few dollars up to the hundreds of dollars. Even in this line however the market has not been

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Consider other lines that properly come within the luxury or hobby field. Rare china, bric-a-brac, paintings and such objects of art are suffering far more than stamps and this is principally because the big business in these lines has always been the high figure business. Such lines have no vast following of buyers of the lower priced items because there are no lower priced items as compared with stamps. In the line of paintings, prices start at a considerable figure and buyers of this class of goods are almost entirely out of the market.

On January 18, the art collection of the late Dr. French of Rochester, was sold at auction. Paintings considered worth thousands of dollars a few years ago were knocked down for almost nothing. A Stuart portrait of Washington for which Dr. French is said to have refused \$100,000, was sold at \$300. Other choice paintings went at even lower figures so that we stamp collectors can well feel proud of the stability of our hobby.

STAMPS AS A HOBBY The author of a column on Stamp Collecting in the Indianapolis Star of January 15, gives some very pertinent and sound advice in a short paragraph. This writer says: "Sooner or later every stamp collector begins to realize that some people are making money selling stamps. Then they begin wanting to sell them, too. Remember this: more fail at that game than succeed. Successful stamp dealing requires years of experience with stamps and keen business ability."

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HAROLD WHISLER SAYS THAT the late New Zealand Charity stamp looks like a loose woman getting tight.

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Two fine precancel auctions for late January were held by The PreCancel Clearing House of Newark, N. J., and Walt Black of Kansas City. Both sales offered nice items. You can get their catalogs on request.

Advance copy of Lawrence Bros. February precancel auction shows some nice buros offered. The scarce Batavia compound 1 1/2 old type, also a copy of the 6c New Orleans experimental. All the errors are offered as well. Get your sale catalogs on request.

A fine lot of plate breaks from the Buro Print Stamp Co. of Jackson, Mich., came in and we were able to match up some Harrisburg, Pa., old type breaks that we have been looking for, for a long time:—

Harrisburg old type coil 1 1/2c: first stamp to the right of the gap with the first and second "R" of Harrisburg badly broken.

Harrisburg, B11 2 and 3c ordinary, with the "P" of Pa. badly shattered.

Capt. Harry Pforzheimer says it's old stuff, but he surprised us with a couple of copies of the old type Atlanta with the middle "A" of Atlanta plenty LOW. This type oddity is quite as easy to detect as the Louisville low "Vs". We have both the perf ten and the compound of the old type showing the dropped letter.

P. A. Sturtevant of Pueblo, Colo., sends in a lot of Denvers for break hunting and we will have a review of these a little later on. Denver breaks are all interesting and are real breaks, with no chance of ink oddities creeping in.

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New Canada Route

The Post Office Department announces the opening of a new route on February 13th from Great Falls, Man., via Bissett, Man., to Wadhope, Man., and that six different cachets will be supplied on that occasion; Great Falls-Bissett; Great Falls-Wadhope; Bissett-Wadhope; Bissett-Great Falls; Wadhope-Great Falls, and Wadhope-Bissett. Covers bearing 8c Canadian postage should be sent to the District Superintendent of Postal Service, Winnipeg, Manitoba, to reach him not later than February 11th. If you have no Canada stamps send him a Money Order for the amount necessary for postage on your covers, and mark covers: Via Air Mail, Great Falls-Bissett, etc., for each cover desired. Address your covers to your home address.

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Coming

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February 22nd a cachet for Washington's Birthday will be applied on covers sent to Lewis H. Barnard, Box 17, Fernwood, N. Y.

The "20ieme Exposition Agricole Internationale" will be held in Bruxelles, Belgium, from February 26 to March 5th and a cachet will be sponsored for the event. Probably if collectors care to send cover and 25c to Julius B. Bock, Berlin-Halensee, Eisenbahnstrasse 4, Germany, he will see that they receive attention.

Orlando, Florida, will have a cachet for the 23rd Annual Central Florida Exposition on February 21-February 26. If you full prepay your postage you may send covers to A. H. Baker, Box 2166, Orlando, Fla.

St. Petersburg, Fla., Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring cachet for the tenth Exhibition of the St. Petersburg Stamp Club on February 25th, and if you want same, send covers to the Cachet Dept. of the Chamber, in that city.

Harry Mason, Cachet Director, of C. of C. of Daytona Beach, Fla., writes that the International Speed Trials will be February 16-20th and covers go to him.

D. H. Jacobs, 108 North Twenty-fourth St., San Jose, Calif., writes they will have cachet for Washington's Birthday, February 22nd, and covers to him, and that city will dedicate Post Office in the future also.

The Benjamin Franklin Society will apply cachet, and you may send one cover only to Harold Walton, 2305 Woolworth Bldg., New York.

When the Mt. Healthy, Ohio, airport is dedicated Harold A. Spaeth, 3917 Spring Grove Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio, will mail your covers sent to him for this, or any other short notice events for which you send him covers.

Check List of Washington Bi-Centennial Covers

These covers are further additions to previous listings of cachets. They include quite a few Naval cancellations.

Additions to Previous Listings

- Feb. 6 to March 6—U. S. Fleet in Hawaiian Waters—Covers on three varieties of printed envelopes commemorating the Bicentennial and U. S. Battleship Fleet Maneuvers prepared by the Hawaii Philatelic Association and mailed from various ships of the Fleet.
- June 28—Chicago, Ill.—Printed cachet for the Washington Bicentennial Military Tournament.
- Aug. 14—Monongahela, Pa.—Cachet marking the Whiskey Rebellion during the Administration of President Washington.
- Dec. 4—New York, N. Y.—Washington's Farewell to his Officers. Private printed cachet of Farewell Scene from the Painting of John Trumbull.
- Dec. 5—Bethlehem, Pa.—Commemorating the establishment of a General Hospital. Black printed cachet by the P. O. S. of A.
- Dec. 11—U.S.S. Brooks—Words "Valley Forge—Washington" in bars of cancellor.
- Dec. 14—U.S.S. Brooks — Words "Washington Died 1799" in bars of cancellor.
- Dec. 14—U.S.S. Tillman — Words "Washington's Death" in bars of cancellor.
- Dec. 17—Dedham, Mass.—Cachet depicting Powder House built in 1766. Sponsored by the Massachusetts Washington Bicentennial Commission and Dedham Rotary Club.

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By BI STANDER

Edward Buser, Jr., formerly with J. M. Bartels of 116 Nassau Street, and Mrs. Sophie Buser, his wife, have opened a stamp concern at 87 Nassau St. Mr. Buser, Jr., comes of a family of stamp dealers as his father is Edward Buser of the Cross Stamp Company of Newark, N. J., as well as his brother Max Buser associated with his father.

E. Volz of 395 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, has associated himself with Mr. Shellenberg to carry on auctions as well as a general stamp business at 427 Fulton Street, Brooklyn. Mr. Volz will keep his stamp business at 395 Fulton St., but the management of the other place under the name of the Central Stamp Company, we understand will be mainly in the hands of Mr. Shellenberg.

The Metro Stamp Company of 1482 Broadway of which Irwin Heiman is the manager has absorbed Paul Wise, Incorporated, who has been in business for some years. Mr. Wise is a widely travelled person having been in a foreign service some years ago. He knows his South and Central America and other groups of countries overseas such as New Zealand, etc.

A racket was tried on us some time ago that has fooled some collectors. A person with an Irish brogue met us outside of a street stamp shop and stated he had seen us go in there. Would we buy an original unpicked foreign mixture at a price which to our mind was a little below the market. A handful picked out of a pound envelope on the paper looked good but we were firm enough to say NO. It turns out that this individual has taken in many because when the mixture

is taken home and gone over carefully it is found to contain a mass of junk. Moral. Buy from an established dealer mixtures you want.

Mr. J. W. Scott, formerly located on 125th Street has fitted up a very fine place in the Galvin Building, 236 West 55th Street, and has a nice stock. Mr. Eric H. Kling, formerly of Frank P. Brown Co. of Boston, a man of much experience will conduct the auction sales and we understand their first auction will contain part of an \$85,000 collection and has some splendid U. S. in it.

We know now what makes stamp dealers hair grey. Another person this time with a Russian accent, asks for U. S. that the dealer usually has not. Will the dealer get it for him? Certainly in a half an hour. The dealer scurries to get it and in some cases pays for it and the man does not come back. Some reasons for this strange action has been mentioned some of which are harsh to say the least.

Another stamp dealer in the person of Louise H. Braun of the feminine sex has opened up a place in conjunction with her father who is a printer, in a downstairs store at 301 Atlantic Street, Brooklyn. Miss Braun formerly worked for a dealer named Weaver, who is now out of that location at 41st Street and Broadway.

Now that the new microscopic eyeglasses seem a success and people with as little as 2% of sight can go about their tasks we feel that the comeback in "Linn's" of January 21st, page 203, that our paragraph about mission mixture is not so "hot". We think this new invention will keep many out of the home for the blind, but we caution our readers if they persist gazing at mission mixture to be sure of their stamp gauge as one of our friends went thru some pounds, thought he had some high priced perforation varieties and found he was all wrong.

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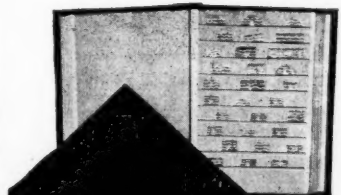
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Catalog of the 57th Mail Auction of H. Wendt, Waverly, Iowa, is at hand and as usual this small catalog has some interesting lots offered within its pages.

The 1933 Wholesale Stamp List of the Pacific Importing Company (L. M. Passmore) of Glendale, Calif., is a list of 80 pages pricing a wide range of choice foreign items per 10 and per 100 copies. Many items seldom found in wholesale lists can be picked from their stock.

Canal Zone has surcharged the current 3c Purple Stuart stamp. First day of issue is January 14th. A cover at hand from the Canal Zone Stamp Company of Gatun, C. Z., is cancelled at Balboa Heights.

Farnham Sells Kay Collection

The sixteen volume collection of United States stamps of the late John Kay of Detroit were sold intact by Fred E. Farnham, Detroit dealer, after Mr. Farnham had completed all arrangements for the sale of the collection at auction in New York.

The name of the buyer has not been made known but it is said that the collection will remain in the hands of a midwestern collector who had considered the purchase of the collection before the death of Mr. Kay. The new owner will not break the collection but is to hold it intact.

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